certain resolutions. The editors have heard a few resolutions which were made by prominent individuals on the campus. Does your "resolve" agree with theirs? p. 3. Held in East

If Marriages Are any indication of improving economic conditions this College is certainly in the midst of prosperity. The number of nuptial ties made during the holidays created a boom both for the license bureau and the Missourian society editor. Turn to page three and see if your old sweetheart has said

For Lack of - Better and faster means of transportation, Don

Johnson recently took a ride with a freight train from his East occupied part of the spotlight home in Stanberry to Maryville. Don is fast when on the in public affairs over the Christmas basketball court, but he decided that he wasn't fast enough vacation. One of the conferences to depart from the rapidly moving train when it got to was taken up with problems of stu-Maryville. Finally about four miles out of town he at- dent government, and the other was tracted the engineer's attention, who checked the train's speed, and Don hopped off and walked back to town, P. S. He was on time for practice.

Lois Langland Likes Foreign Friendliness

Nine Nationalities Are Represented at **Toronto Convention**

Impressed with the friendliness of people in a foreign country, Lois Langland returned to the campus this week from a conference in Can-

She attended the World Mission of Christianity convention, December 27 to January 1, held at the University of Toronto, Ontario, Canada Convened by the student volunteer movement, the convention was attended by about 500 from many countries, more than half coming from the United States.

Almost every Protestant denomination was represented at Toronto, where the six-day program included worship meetings, plenary sessions seminar meetings, interest groups group singing, general sessions, and special tours of the city. Travels by Train

Miss Langland stayed in one of the dormitories on the university campus, and attended all of the meetings. She made the trip to Toronto by train

Nine different nationalities were represented at the convention. Delegates attnded from Africa, India, Hawaii, Philippines, China, Japan, auditorium, 10 a.m. France, Canada, and United States.

Many noted speakers appeared on the convention programs. Among p. m. them were Prof. T. Z. Koo of China, Prof. Latourette of Yale, Prof. Hro- 6:30 p. m. madka of Czechslovakia, Alice Van Doren of India, D. T. Niles of India, Paul Harrison of Arabia, and Ruth

Represents Y. W. C. A. A prominent leader at the conven-

Miss Langland represented the College chapter of the Young Wom- | W. C. A.



Home From Toronto Lois Langland

The Calendar

Friday, January 5 Student Social Committee dance ette, Old West Library, 4-6 p. m. Basketball game, Maryville vs. William Jewell, gymnasium, 8 p. m.

Saturday, January 6 Alpha Sigma Alpha informal dance, Country Club, 9-12 p. m.

Wednesday, January 10 Assembly, report on NSF Congress

Class meetings, following assembly. Faculty tea, Recreation Hall, 3-5

A. A. U. P. dinner, Hotel Linville,

Thursday, January 11 Faculty meeting, Social Hall, 7:30

the noteworthy shows of the year. tion was Robert Mackie, secretary- en's Christian Association at the general of the World Federation of convention. Her expenses were part- music majors and both marching Christianity from Geneva, Switzer- ly met by the local chapter and the and concert bands in the auditorium Maryville Ministerial Alliance. She is president of the College Y

Students at Horace Mann School "Adopt" Modern Luxury Freighter

Boys and Girls Get Letters from Captain About his Voyages

A modern seagoing freighter, according to Evelyn Louise Mapel and United States Maritime Commission Mary Ellen Kelly, students at the is building to replace out-of-date Horace Mann School, has become ships. The "Mormachawk" is 459 the foster child of boys and girls feet long and has a beam of 63 feet meeting of the Mississippi Valley Inliving more than a thousand miles at its widest point. Its diesel motor away from the sea and forms a con- is 6000 horse power. The "Mormanecting link between the strange chawk" is not only a freight ship, Only members of the club may atworld of the tropics and the Mid- but it also carries twelve passengers

The seventh and eighth grades of the Horace Mann School under the supervision of Miss Dora B. Smith have adopted the S. S. "Mormachawk", one of the latest luxury As a result of this disturbance, the freighters of the Moore-McCormack ship now operates between the Unit-Line. Engaged in service to the Bal- ed States and South America. tic countries until the recent European war broke out, the "Mormachawk" now operates between the United States and the East Coast of quotation from his letter. South America, touching Rio de Janeiro, Montevideo, and Buenos ery and manufactured articles, in-

Send a Letter

the company. Early in the adoption liminary to castor oil." we wrote to Captain O'Brien and

the good ship "Marmachawk." "On November 21st we received receive."

from Captain O'Brien, a letter which "Mormachawk" is one of the new "C-2" type motor ships that the in very luxurious staterooms.

War Changes Course "Until the recent European war broke out, the "Mormachawk" had been going to the Baltic countries.

"In Captain O'Brien's letter to us he stated some very interesting facts about his cargo. Following is a "In going south we carry machin-

cluding farming tools and automobiles, all for the South American Part of a letter to the Northwest trade, both on the seacoast, and in Missouiran, recently received from the interior towns and cities. When Miss Mapel and Miss Kelly, reads as we come north we have hides, canned meats and quebraco extract. "We have written a number of let- From Brazil we bring tremendous ters in connection with this project, quantities of coffee and often large of G. W. Hannum, former student of Several have been sent to people in shipments of castor seed, the pre-

"We are enjoying immensely all died at Warrensburg, December 23. asked some questions that were of letters and information we get from interest to us and that would help our captain and the company. We us to become better acquainted with look forward with much anticipa- ficate here in 1924. He received a tion to all other information we College degree in 1930. He came to Maryville from Warsaw, Mo.

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ter's artistic touch.

vent by train.

President Lamkin,

Dean Jones Return

From Mexico City

President and Mrs. Uel W. Lam-

kin and Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones

have returned from a holiday trip

to Mexico City, Mexico, where they

Arriving in the Mexico capital

city, the College group was confront-

ed with warm days, although the

nights were cool, as the city is more

They found living conditions

there very different from those in

the United States. For example,

the purchase of an orange on the

street is less than one American

cent, and good meals may be had

President Lamkin said he noticed

the difference of farming conditions

"We had a fine sight-seeing trip

into Mexico," the College president

said," but it was good to return to

in Mexico, as he observed oxen being

used for plowing in the fields.

Dr. Dow to Return

From Speaking Tour

her classes at the College next Mon-

day when she will have returned

holiday and the following week.

than a mile above sea level.

for less than a dollar.

the United States."

Flat River. Mo.

SGA Officers Will

Speak at Assembly

Frank Baker and Merrill Ostrus

president and vice-president respec-

tively of the Student Government

Association, will speak at the as-

University of Minnesota during the

following the assembly program.

Meetings of all classes will be held

A new style of theme covers on

folders, has been recently received at

As a result comes the new theme

cover, which sells for five cents, and

Independents to Meet

· All members are urged to be pres-

bott, president.

Christmas holidays.

Bookstore Sells

New Theme Cover

colors of green and white.

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1940

Conferences Are

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Students Attend Commerce and Student Government Meetings

Two student conferences in the

Frank Baker and Merrill Ostrus. president and vice-president respectively of the Student Senate, attended the fifteenth annual Congress of the National Student Federation at the University of Minnesota at Min-Three College women represented

the local chapter of Pi Omega Pi commerce fraternity, at the national convention held at Pittsburg, Pa They were Marian Nally, Mary Frances Barrock, and Hope Wray. Baker and Ostrus left early De cember 27 for Minneapolis where they attended many round table conferences, and heard many distinguished speakers. There was time for dancing and sleigh-riding too, as on Thursday evening, December 28, the entire congress of 130 members

The South had the largest delegation at the Congress, and the state of Texas sent fourteen representa-Proposed places for next year's congress are Leland Stanford University, Fresno State, McMurry College, and University of Texas.

attend a sleigh ride and dance.

Representatives of the Pi Omega Pi fraternity Marrian Nally, Mary Frances Barrock, and Hope Wray attended the national convention in Pittsburg, Pa. After the Pi Omega Pi convention ended the representatives attended the National Commercial Teachers Federation Convention which was being held in connection with the National Pi Omega Pi Convention.

The representatives met Dr. John Robert Gregg, originator of standard shorthand. The three College delegates visited New York with Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Surrey, before attending the Pittsburg convention.

Marching Band to Sell Tickets and **Buy New Uniforms**

Endeavoring to get new uniforms, the College marching band will sell tickets for a show at the Tivoli Theater, January 31 and February 1. The picture will be "Mikado," a musical production starring Kenny Baker. The show is in complete technicolor and is rated as one of

There will be a meeting of all Wednesday. After the meeting, tickets for the show will be on sale through members of the music department. The price of the tickets will be forty cents.

Tabor Is Elected **SS-IRC President**

John Tabor has been elected president of the Social Science-Internaproved to be of much interest. He tional Relations Clubs at the College gave us some very interesting infor- to succeed Virgil Elliott. Other ofmation concerning the ship. The ficers named are Vaughn Means, vice-president; Glen Edmonson, secretary-treasurer; and Virgil Elliott, publicity manager.

Plans are being made by the joint College clubs to attend the annual ternational Relations Clubs conference at Winfield, Kan., next spring.

Book Club Will Have Twelfth Night Party

the College bookstore, according to A Twelfth Night Celebration will Mr. Roy Ferguson. These covers are be the theme at the annual party of the Book Club instead of its regular meeting next Monday.

Members of the club will appear in fantastic costumes. They will perform an old folk play and will sing authentic Twelfth Night folk to bring a quality folder to the stu-

Former Student Dies

Word was received by Presiden the College, who has served as probate judge of Benton County. He Hannum taught several years after receiving a sixty-hour certi-

mantle of snow over the College campus. With the snow and cold weather came winter sports, such as coasting and skating. Above is shown a photographic view of the College residence decorated with Old Man Win-With Music **Familiar**

The tunes of a familiar song are always welcome, but when far from home to hear a traditional state anthem is almost a sure way to fill the heart with a great pride in that song and the land it represents.

WINTER COMES TO THE CAMPUS-When the New Year came to northwest Missouri, it left a white

At least this is what Lois Langland would tell you if you happen to be talking to her this week. She has just returned from Toronto, Ontario, Canada, where she attended a religious convention.

One evening while walking across the Toronto university campus, she passed by the skating arena, where many skaters were gliding across the ice to orchestra music.

She stopped instantly, The orchestra was playing the "Missouri Waltz!"

Members of English Department Return From Annual Meeting Dr. Blanche H. Dow will resume

Dr. Anna Painter, Dr. Ruth Lowery, Miss Estelle Bowman and Mr. after attending various meetings and conventions in the south, during the J. L. Zwingle have returned to college after attending the yearly meet-Dr. Dow will have attended the ing of the Modern Language Asso-Annual Meeting of the National ciation at New Orleans December Council of University Professors and 28-30. Karl Young of Yale Univerthe Modern Language Association sity was elected the new president convention at New Orleans. She of the organization which will meet will also have spoken before the in Boston next year.

graduate school of the University of A new branch of the organization, Louisiana at Baton Rouge and be- College English, has been formed help the individual to better orienfore a branch group of the American | with the aim to attempt to initiate a Association of University Women at | program that will try to revise and invigorate the teaching of composition in college. It will devote much for discussion. Posture, speech, aptime to studying the problems of English composition. The Modern Language Association is mainly devoted to reasearch activities.

Heads Alumni Group

elected president of the Graham High School Alumni Association at conference and get a frank dicussion sembly program Wednesday morn-Graham. Elliott graduated from the of their problems. ing, January 10. They will talk of Graham High School in 1935. and their experiences in attending the last year acted as publicity director who will assist during the week will fifteenth annual congress of the National Student Federation at the for the alumni association.

Virgil Elliott, senior, has been

Make Plans for **Appraisal Clinic** Plans for the annual personal ap-

1939 Tower Gets

Honor Rating in

National Contest

1939 Tower.

vearbook honors.

the 1939 Tower has been awarded a

at the University of Minnesota.

and is rated as one of the outstand-

ing critics of college yearbooks.

Yearbooks from almost every college

praisal clinic are beginning to take form, according to Dr. Margaret for women. The clinic, which this the long look ahead. year will be held March 12, 13, 14, and 15, is held once each year to tate himself to his surroundings. During the week, regular meetings

will be held with some main topic pearance, health, clothings, and diet are some of the many subjects that will be discussed. A specialist in personal appraisal

problems will be at the College during the week to answer questions and make suggestions for self-government. Students who have personal questions may arrange for a Students and faculty members

be announced at a later date.

Former Student Raises Sheep to Supplement Her Teaching Salary

Hobby, Begun at College, Now Pays Sizable Dividends

Nowadays people contend that decorated in the traditional school there is no opportunity for personal gain of any kind for the young perto Mr. Ferguson. The Bookstore of Miss Velva Groom, Gentry, Missfelt it would make a special effort our, is the exception. Miss Groom, who obtained her

sixty-hour ceritficate from the Col- \$954.50. lege in 1938, has followed a sideline! "I made more money in ninety which she first began while at the days feeding sheep than I would is adjustable three or two-hole note College and which is now paying have made teaching school all year, dividends, equal to her teaching said Miss Groom. When asked salary. According to a recent story whether she intended to continue in the Kansas City Times, Miss her new profession, Miss Groom Groom decided, after eight years stated, "This depends upon market Metz, class president. The dues The Independent Club will hold its of teaching, to pursue her sideline conditions and the demand for first meeting of the new year Wed- for a season instead of her regular wool."

nesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in profession. A lover of the great outdoors, Social Hall. The meeting will be important, according to Edgar Ab- Miss Groom's sideline is sheep rais- the bank she is planning a vacation.

In September Miss Groom pur- | May.

chased 400 head of Idaho lambs with For a long time there has been a son. But, like all other grudges there the savings of her eight years as demand for theme covers, according are exceptions to the rule. The case teacher. The lambs were fed ninety in commerce. She taught the last days and sold at a profit of \$397 plus another profit of \$557.50 for er. wool with a total net profit of

money from her venture safely in the senior play. ing. She pursued every course in She intends to see some more of the ton, William Metz, John Tabor, Bob A long deep hum attracts the atanimal husbandry and agriculture great out of doors. She is going to Tracy, Laura Margaret Davis, or tention of the referees or announces that was offered by the College California for a six week visit.

Plan to Improve Grading System Is Adopted by Faculty Committee

Education Should And Evaluation to Be Shown to Students **Teach Democracy** Says Mr. Lamkin

Stresses Need for Academic Freedom in Liberal Education

"We must have intellectual, economic, and political freedom in our schools to insure a democratic America," President Uel W. Lamkin of the College, said in an address before faculty and students Wednesday in the first assembly program of

Speaking of his recent return from visit to Mexico City, Mexico, the College president stated that no matter at what port the traveler arrived in returning to America, the best thing about the whole trip, was to feel the security of the Stars and

The President gave five purposes of teaching a democracy in American schools. They are: To promote the general welfare, to insure civil liberty, to insure government with just power derived from the consent Frank Strong, business manager of the governed, to make possible an of the 1940 Tower announces that appeal to reason, and to have the right to the pursuit of happiness.

second class honor rating by the The Educator's Duty National Scholastic Press Association "The general welfare of every in dividual of the United States is a Willis Heal was editor and Robert part of the duty of every educator, Denton was business manager of the he said. "The social organizations, the church, and even the people The department of journalism at themselves are naturally conservathe University of Minnesota has tive. The only way to rebuild made a practice of judging year-America is to do it through educabooks for the last nineteen years, tion."

President Lamkin said this College is dedicated to the welfare of the individual student, to help him in the United States are entered in meet the conditions of this new year the National Scholastic Association 1940.

contest to compete for All-American He continued by saying the people of the United States need not less Dick Dempsey, editor of the 1940 but more education. "We need more Tower and Frank Strong spent part | liberal education to determine the of the Christmas vacation in Kan- policies of the next generation," he sas City working on this year's said. "Schools are founded to probook. Strong states that the editor's tect the rights of free speech and work is nearing completion with the right of petition, and schools the class panels, and part of the or- should safeguard these principles." ganizations' panels being completed.

An Appeal to Reason In speaking of the possibilities of He said that many of the campus views were completed and all of the America becoming involved in war, evaluate the grading system, which President Lamkin said that when democracy goes to war, there ceases to be any democracy. "When we go to war," he added, "we give our appeal to reason."

The President stated his desire that education may have contrib-Ruth Smith, director of personnel the next election, voters will take "We need more happiness than

that of the excitement of the moment," he said. "The greatest joy of living will come through a democracy of educated people."

Closing his address, President Lamkin made an appeal to both students and faculty, that as they go through the new year of 1940, they renew their fight to preserve the ideals of democracy in the United States.

At the beginning of the assembly made available for general underhour, Mr. J. L. Zwingle read the scripture. Vance Riffie, baritone, sang "Myself When Young," and to insure student understanding of Mary Virginia Beck played a piano selection, "Concert Etude." President Lamkin was introduced

by Dr. J. W. Jones, dean of the faculty, who presided.

Assumes Charge in **Business Office** Martha May Holmes, recent ad-

dition to the administration personnel, has assumed charge of the busiwhile she was a student. Miss Groom | ness office of the College during the | and students) in the attitude toward also has collected bulletins dealing absence of Mr. W. A. Rickenbrode. with the sheep industry until she Miss Holmes, whose home is at has a commendable reference lib. Plattsburg, came to the College as secretary to Mr. Rickenbrode last posed of Dr. Blanche H. Dow, Mr.

> class of 1937, Miss Holmes majored two years in the high school at Gow

College Seniors Will Pay Dues

Each senior of the College is assessed dues of 50 cents, it was announced this week by William against the Emporia Teachers. were assessed by the senior execu- against possible mistakes, the new tive committee, and will be used in scoreboard is an improvement over Now that Miss Groom has the part to pay for books to be used in the old one. It is operated by re-

Marjorie Perry.

Minimum Essentials

NUMBER 14

An announcement of a plan to improve the "H-P-W" grading system and a plan to evaluate the system, which has been formulated by a faculty committee, was made this week by Dr. J. W. Jones, dean of the faculty.

The plan adopted by the faculty committee for improving the marking system includes many points.

The mark of "P" grade will indicate that the student has passed the course. In order that students may know what is expected of them in passing a given course each instructor will prepare a concise statement of the minimum essentials in his course, accompanied by examples of the means of evaluation of the work of students to be used in the determination of their success in the

Set Minimum Essentials Each department is urged to establish some degree of uniformity as to the requirements which shall constitute the minimum essentials for a "P". Consideration should also be given to the gradual development of the student as an educated person by the graduation of the minimum requirements at various class levels. Emphasis should be placed on the quality of the work done, rather than upon the quanity assigned as mini-

mum essentials. Minimum essentials should be stated in terms of the specific objectives of the course, the desired vocabulary, the basic concepts or principles, specific skills and habits to be established, and the attitudes to be developed. Specific means of evaluation of each phase of the course should be developed. It is urged that measures of evaluation be developed as a departmental enter-

The mark of "H" grante will be restricted to those students wno do outstanding work and who show promise of excellence in both scholarship and personality traits requisite of superior students and successful teachers.

A mark of "W" will be assigned students who have not completed the minimum essentials as defined.

Evaluation of Marking The faculty committee has listed a number of points in their plan to

In the evaluation of the marking scheme certain tangible factors contribute to the success of the scheme rights into the hands of one person. and other intangible factors influ-We should settle our disputes by an ence its success. If the tangible factors are developed in all departments, the scheme has a better chance of success. Reaction to the uted enough to civilization that in intangible factors would be difficult to determine in an objective manner,

> uation of the system. The tangible factors are as follows:

but would be important in the eval-

1. Have minimum essentials for all junior college courses been prepared? 2. Have evaluation procedures

prepared in all courses? 3. Has there been departmental cooperation in points 1 and 2? 4. Have copies been filed and

for the minimum essentials been

standing? 5. Has a program been developed the minimum essentials required?

The intangible factors listed are as follows: 1. Is the attitude of the faculty cooperative in the development of

the minimum essentials and the means of evaluation thereof, and sympathetic with the values of such a program? 2. Is there an improved attitude

on the part of students toward scholastic efforts? 3. Is there a noticeable improve-

ment (by faculty, administration, learning in junior college classes?

The faculty committee which has adopted these improvements is com-Sterling Surrey, Mr. Norvel Sayler, A graduate of the College in the Miss Grace Shepherd, and Dean

New Scoreboard Is Installed at Gym

A new electrical scoreboard has been installed in the gymnasium and was first seen in operation last Monday during the basketball game Clearly visible and a safeguard

mote control from the officials' Dues are payable to Robert Den- table at the side of the gymnasium.

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AN EDITORIAL

To War or Not-

The war continués in Europe. The heated discussion continues in America over how much should Americans make this war their war.

The determination of the American people will keep this nation out of war, if they are willing. At least the All-College Peace Front would keep this nation out of war. They would do it by organizing a "peace consciousness" in this

The Peace Fronters would believe that this war, as we know it today, is not our war, and they would spend much effort in communicating that idea to college students.

Althöügh there might be sympathy with the motives to keep this nation out of war, every peace group should be careful that their organizations are not used to further certain undemocratic principues and Nazis at work.

No one would say that this altruistic goal, world peace, is ridiculous. Some say such an objective is impossible. But at least it is an attempt. The scoffers can take up their machine guns, but the peace clubs will try typewriters first.

Mr. J. L. Zwingle, dean of personnel for men at the College, has this to say:
"I am heartily in favor with the All-College Peace Front. In the first place it should encourage a sound interest in this international, but very personal, question. Students who support such a movement have the opportunity to do some sound thinking about an issue which they must face in one form or another—both now and later. Youth are criticized today because they give way to enthusiasm and neglect facts. This movement should be both idealistic and enthusiastic—and it can be realistic in the proper sense."

This brings up an interesting point, in that there is enthusiasm in the hearts of youth, and it must be spent for something. If it be war, the results may be deplorable. If it be for a cause which will help the cause of humanity, the good of the enthusiasm may well come from the youth of this nation.

Rev. Sherman B. Moore, pastor of the Maryville Christain Church, states his approval of a peace movement in this country. "Clear thinking on the part of the mass of American citizens will prevent our participation in the present war," he says. "Only if we allow ourselves to become blinded to the real causes of war and its utter futility, will we permit ourselves to be drawn into it. A movement for clear and sane thinking on the part of the present generation of college students will do much to keep our country out of war."

Roy. H. W. Hackman; pastor at the Maryville First Methodist Church, says it is his belief that we should not go to Europe to fight. We should have local preparedness, he believes, but we should not go beyond our own shores, unless of course, the United States is attacked.

Students in college, however, should be warned that they should never allow their organizations for peace to be used by other groups who contend they will not fight under any circumstances. Such a motto of complete pacifish can be in-terpreted by Hitler or Stalin as a go-ahead sign in Europe, and there may arise conditions in the near future which will change the complexion of the posi-tion of the United States in regard to war.

Heard From the Faculty

"These mid-west towns have built the ugliest houses on the face of the earth." Dr Anna M. Painter.

"It is the distinguished minority that set the seal on the unattentive majority." Dr. Blanche H. Dow.

"People are made pretty when they are young so they can stand each other till they grow old enough to learn how to make mistakes.' Dr. Blanche H. Dow.

"Start a child where a child is and take him where society wants him to go." Miss Grace Shepherd.

"Education is not committeent." Miss Grace Shepherd.

"A thing is of no value unless it is put to use." Miss Grace Shepherd.

"Specialization is learning more and more about less and less." Miss Katherine Franken.

"I put \$600 in that oil well, but why should I worry about that money? My wife inherited it." Dr. Albert Blumenthal.

A novelist is better equilipped than most of hi strade if he knows himself and one woman.

It may be the behavior of the employed that will determine whether we can re-employ the unemployed.

On Second Thought

New Years Resolutions Are Broken First Time

By Eleanor Calfee

Two New Year's resolutions that were premeditated long before Christmas vacation were as follows: (1) In 1940 text books will be studied more carefully; (2) there will be no further voracious reading of books at random which are not at all a part of the curriculum as far as making an honor in classes is concerned.

But these resolutions were broken before they were really made, if such a thing is possible. In a half-guilty survey of the card-catalog at the library a discovery was made of Edna Vincent Millay and George Dillon's translation of Charles Baudelaire's poetry.

After reading the preface by Miss Millay, it was futile to think of ignoring the translation itself. Consequently came the first breaking of those excellent New Year's resolutions.

Edna St. Vincent Millay says of the French poet, "He was a poet of the in-tellect, a lover of order, of perfection in form, deploring superstition, sentimentality and romanticism, feeling that one's life should be controlled by one's will—art was his god."

Baudelaire, whose life was unconventional and unhappy, loved above all else beauty and the majesty of the human mind. His 'flowers' arise from his doubts, his weakness, from his grief and disgust, from the torture of his strange mind.

Poetry on the Campus

DEFINITION Dawn is A suddenness that Comes . . . as silence after Last notes of music. . or laughter After tears. -ELEANOR CALFEE

Roses and Razzes

By Harriet Harvey

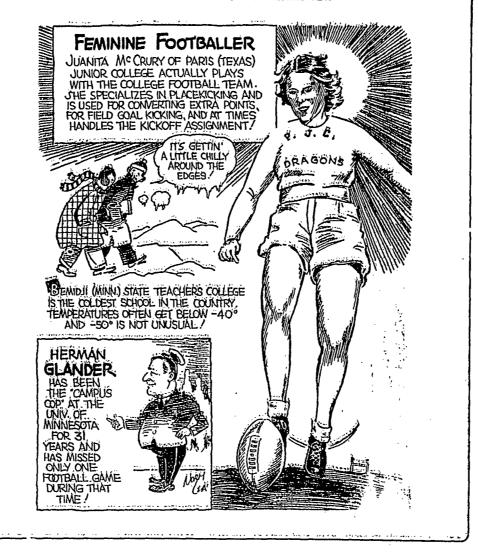
It was a nice vacation wasn't it? A nice Christmas Eve, a nice Christmas Day, and it was New Year's Eve, too, while we were

I suppose that you, like I, had a bit of an informal high school alumni reunion at the local jelly shop while you were home, where everyone talked about his own school and his own football team.

And speaking of football teams and games, how did you come out with your Bowl games bets? I did about as well as Fred Waring. He lost four out of five bets and I lost all three that I bet on. And speaking of bets, if you want to see someone just cringe when you mention betting, ask Miss Weems if she listened to the Rose Bowl Game. She still swears that Tennessee is the best in the country but that Southern Cal is pretty good, too.

Over the vacation I did little or no studying, to be quite frank about it, but I did work some few

CAMPUS CAMERA



Another Way

Congratulations to the student body! Congratulations especially to those students who attended the Christmas Ball sponsored by the College Social Committee.

conducted on the highest and most respecteful level of any previous affairs of this nature.

showed good taste and fine social training, as well as having a splendid time.

fun at the Christmas Ball than at any other dance of the

One never knows where one will encounter genius. Horace Lemaster, janitor, is a common sort of individual whom students see so regularly that they give him little heed. Yet day by day as he pushes a sweeping broom over the Administration Building floor, he may be thinking up ideas for a new play or short story.

He is on the job every morning shortly after 4 a. m. His work is to clean out the offices before the office work-

Mr. Lemaster has written many stories and plays. He has had several manuscripts broadcast over the radio, His janitorial work comes first; but his hobby is his escape.

A former country school-teacher, he is a great lover of the out-of-doors. One time he visited the Rocky Mountains, and wrote a beautiful story when he came home about sitting around the camp fire, with the distant mountain peaks in purple haze for the background.

his wide knowledge.

One has to have a wide knowledge to be a writer, probably he would tell you.

Horace Leemaster is of medium height, stout, and has a cheerful face. He has lost most of his hair, but he doesn't mind. He won't lay it on to getting up early in the mornings

lunch cold out of a tin box. He and Mrs. Lemaster live south of the campus in a low house with many windows.

It takes a great amount of reading and thinking to make a scholar like this common figure at the College, who

Here is a kind old gentleman who loves to talk. Get him started on almost any subject, and he will surprise you with

When at work, he always wears suspenders. He eats his

besides being a scholar, is both a gentleman and a friend.

hours about mid-term and it start-

ed me to thinking aloud again on

the subject of examinations. Why

do we have to have them? What

purpose do they fulfill? Are they

of value to the faculty or is there some other reason why they must

be maintained in the educational system to haunt the dreams of "Campusology" students and every other kind? Are examinations merely given by the faculty

as a fulfillment of a threat to

make us study? I thought about

all these things and wondered if

there were any answers as to why we had to take examinations and,

if so, why they were the type of

Then, upon returning to school, I ran across a very understand-

ing article by Higman and Payne

of Colorado University. The following is their idea of the func-

advantages and disadvantages:

tion of examinations, the basic

First, to state the advantages,

examinations give the instructor

a testing device upon which he

can rate the student and possibly

give him a passing grade in the course. Secondly, the examina-

examinations that we have.

tion acts as a stimulus to study, and you'll admit that there is a

rabid tendency to digest texts

when the instructor announces an

examination for the following day. In the third place, the examination in its highest level, is an educational tool which in-

spires thinking and understand-

ing and interest on the part of the

is our present system of testing and examining the fund of know-ledge in the student a fair and

definite means of evaluating his learning in that particular

In the first place, the few days

before examination week and all

that week without a doubt, the

student is subjected to a feeling of nervous tension and hysteria

nervous tension and hysteria which is certainly not at all collidative to good studying or to clear and lucid thinking on the actual examination. There is fair too much intense work on everyone's part, and a great deal of fruitless learning which is called in college terminology "cramming."

Then the question came to me-

student.

course?

By Virgil Elliott

Word has come from the faculty that this Ball was

That is to say that at the Christmas Ball, students

And there are those students who say they had more

Among the new co-ops organized is a student co-op book store at NEW JERSEY COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, equipped to handle all book and supply demânds, refreshments, and incidentals. A hew housing co-op has been started at the UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO. It

a fixed wage.

provides room for sleep, study, and recircution for 19 members at an average cost of \$9 a month. This does not involve working, but those inlembers who wish, may further lower their room cost by working at various jobs in the house at

Heard

From the Others

"Someone has said that there are

more girls smoking cigarettes in

America today than boys. If this is

true, it is the failure of educators

and parents to find something that

will grip and hold girls' interest the

"The really great athletes never

use tobacco. No athlete was ever so

great as he would have been had he

hot used the weed." Forrest C. Allen,

sleep with it out of the cover or un-

der it?" Rennie Smith.

mobile." Dr. W. G. Shover.

shave." Dr. W. G. Shover.

how you putt it.

had passed on.

the Finnish.

Student Cooperative

Movement Increases

With federations of campus cooper-

atives set up to serve students on the

west coast and in the mid-west, and with

several new cooperatives organized on

campuses this fall, the cooperative move-

ment is off to a flying start in its fall

This Collegiate World

By NSFA

campaign.

"Does a man with a long beard

"A man has the right to lie about

"One shave a day is sufficient un-

less there is a date—and in that

case if you are caught with the other fellows' girl, it is a close

A golf ball is a golf ball no matter

It's better to make \$5 a day trying

Many famous men did their great-

Some people wait for luck, but

waiting seldom gets them anywhere.

Hitler and Stalin were friends to

est work when most men their age

to make \$10, than to sit around try-

ing to figure out how to make \$15.

two things-his wife and his auto-

same as athletics have for boys.

Religion on the Campus

The fact that a popular prophet, a religious man talking everywhere about the nearness of the New Age, should show distinguished honor to a publican, fairly overwhelmed Levi. To celebrate the event he made a great reception in his home. Publicans and other "sinners" came to it in large numbers from all over the city. Jesus and his disciples were also present. Refreshments were served and they all ate together. Such conduct on the part of an ostensible prophet scandalized the Scribes.

Jesus' view of the situation seems to have been this. He did not excuse the conduct of the publicans and sinners. To his mind they were unfit for the New

> Any student can meniorize the table of contents long chough to take a test over it, but very little if any of this forced learning is retained.

Now in recent years we have heard much about the gradual adoption of comprehensive examinations in our institutions of higher learning. I intend to say more of this in the future but right now I should like to have you believe comprehensive examinations would work in our school.

The reason why comprehensives are to be chosen in preference to the sterotyped and exaction type of examination is that this type of examination will shift the emphasis from "cramming to understanding, and from minutia to retainable knowledge."

And so, what do you think of this idea. Perhaps I have presented a biased and misunderstanding picture of the general theme of examinations, but it is my silicore feeling that something is hissing in the examination world which we as college students should be getting. What do you think of it!

From San Francisco Chronicle

War Is Like Gilbert, **Sullivan Production**

By Earle Ennis

Day by Day, in every way, the European war gets sillier and siller. Talk, countercharge, denial-it has all the elements of a Gilbert and Sullivan production. Take any Tuesday, for instance:

"German bombers yesterday sank the British warship H. M. S. Stoopnagle in the North Sea," says a Berlin communique.

"No such thing," says London. "The bombers attacked a trawler off the Freeth of Froth and failed to hit, Besides, we have no warship named the Stoopnagle."

Moscow then comes forward with a rumor that German bombers are in control of the North sea and that the ocean is littered with the wreckage of the British battle fleet. This angers Lord Churchill, who prepares to call boys of 14 to 16 to the colors. He also publishes a radiogram from Lord Admiral Tottenliam, which says: "Having wonderful time in North Sea. Have seen no bombers. Wish you were here."

This enrages Berlin, which publishes a report from Lieutenant Ersatz that he personally attacked and sank eight or ten major ships of the British fleet.

"We dropped 136 bombs and a pair of binoctilars," he says. "We saw four-teel ships burning."

Effect on World Market

At this point in the controversey Paris advices report the sinking of a Norwegian fishing boat off Skayyak lighthouse. The report says 3 million saidines and a Swede named Olson were lost. Whereupon Finland breaks open a fresh case of ammunition and the Belgian government takes over the shrimp industry.

France then issues the regular weekly declaration that Germany can't get through the Maginot line. Germany counters by capturing five abandoned French villages. France retaliates by taking photographs of German wheat, farmers near the frontier. Russian troops are reported changing their underwear along the Ukraine. This arouses intense British feeling and Russian caviar is put on the embargo list.

This is too much for Hitler. The British, he says, had better look out. Baning Russian caviar, he says, impungs the Nazi honor. One more crack like that, he says, and he'll pick up liell by the handles and turn it upside down over England. Brittin flames with indignation and fish and chips jump ten points. Two destroyers leave immediately for the Suez canal, and Chamberlain prepares to address the House of Commons. This causes a wave of depression throughout England:

Diplomats Have Their Say

The Nazi press then reveals that German troops are massing on the Holland border preparing for a blitzkrieg on 20,000 windmills. Switerland moves into the picture by halting the manufacture of cuckoo clocks as a rigid neutrality move. Nazi planes drop leaflets over Scotland saying Germany is getting ready to buy overcats and wooden shoes in Russin, and that Black forest skunks are to be released shortly in the Balkans. They intimate King George is bandy-

This brings Mussolini to the barbed wire fence with his knitting in his hand. "When better thistles are planted; I'll plant 'ein,' he tells the world through his personal newspaper.

This cryptic utterance produces a violent reaction in Turkey, and Shriners march the streets of Tafiz singing "Oo-la-Tah-nitz." In India, Gandi calls upon his countrymen to sit tight. About this time the American steamer City of Flint radios the American coulism at Irkutz.

Dingbat, dogbat, dumbat doodlebug," says the captain.

The consul, in high excitement, calles to President Roosevelt. The same night the state department sends a wireless to the City of Flint:

"Crate ship and forward by parcel post. Tell brew to walk home,"

This throws the stock market into a flurry. Pantlemonium Steel loses five points and Chesty McChestiey, president of Army Beans, Inc., jumps off-the roof of the Chrysler building. Electrified by a fireside talk, 50 million Americans go to bank night,

And all on a Tuesday. Cinty world, isn't it?

Bearcats Will Play William Jewell Tonight; Fast Game is Expected

Team Will Leave for **Conference Games** Saturday Afternoon

Tonight the Bearcats play their second game of the new year. Their opponent is William Jewell college of Liberty, Mo. Although not rated as an exceptionally strong foe for the Bearcats, the Liberty cagers are expected to give the Maryvillians a run for their money. The game is scheduled for 8 o'clock.

Ike Howell will probably start the game for Maryville at the center position. Dale Hacket and Rus Furious Battle Insley are slated for the guard posts and Eddie Johnson and Neil Weary are likely to be the forward choices. Little is known about the William

Jewell men but one of their stars is Roberts, who plays center. This man also was an outstanding football man. Hague of Kansas City and Soth, a graduate of Warrensburg, will officiate the game.

Opening conference play next Monday, the Stalcups basketeers go on the road for a game with Cape Girardeau Monday night. Traveling up through the state, they will fast breaks and long passes the stop at Rolla, for Tuesday night's Maryville team won the New Year's game. Both the Indians and the Day game by a score of 51 to 32. Miners are considered tricky and In a game that was marked by say, will be plenty good this year.

The Bearcats will probably leave to get a good rest before Monday is not eligible for the trip. The men points to his credit. who will make the trip include Neil vision is made for more men Bob tie during the first half. Gregory, Ivan Schottel, and Gale Donahue will be the next selected. They will probably make the trip.

"A" Students Need **Not Attend Class**

an average student, or one whose the Kansans and then the Bearcats. grades are below "C"? If so, you had In the last six minutes of the first better go to class.

percent of the grade brackets? If who was warmed up by this time. so, it doesn't make much difference made two shots and Maryville held whether you go to class or not, the score for the remainder of the you'll be likely to pull down "A's" game. and "B's" just 'tile same.

statistical information compiled by cats easily led, almost doubling the assistants of Dean Aaron J. Brum- score making 20 points in fast orbaugh-of the University of Chicago der to the opponents 11. The score from the records of college students, was 42 to 27 in favor of the Tutors. 204 of whom had taken "R's" in one Substituting new players at regular or more survey courses, and an equal, intervals the Bearcats easily outnumber of whom had done the work paced the Emporia team during the in the course. An "R" grade indi- last few minutes of play. cates a student took the course but

Good Posture Aids Health Says Doctor

Madison, Wis.— ACP —Maintain good posture and you'll feel better. That's the prescription of the University of Wisconsin's Dr. Frances A. Hellebrandt, a member of the medical school staff.

"To stand correctly is extraordinarily cheap from the viewpoint of its energy needs," she said. "If the posture is relaxed, stand-

ing is practically indefatigable. It costs little more energy units to stand properly than to beat an egg, although nearly three-fourths of the | Totals muscles in the body are being used," Dr. Hellebrandt said.

Students' Sister Dies

Mrs. James Haddock of Liberty, died early this week. She was the sister of Harriette and Mildred Warnick, students at the College. Both attended the funeral at Liberty

Coach Back at Work

Recovered from the after-effects of a minor operation, Coach Wilbur Stalcup is back at his job in the gymnasium with the new year, He was released from the hospital on Christmas Day.

Bearcats Defeat Emporia 51-32 in

Fast Kansans Hold Maryville to Tie During First Half

Getting the first score in the first two and one-half minutes of play Emporia Teachers' held the Bearcats to a see-saw tie during the opening half of the game last Monday night on the local court. Using

any conference game, authorities more than the usual vigor the local cagers did not hesitate to take any open shot, or to quickly give the Saturday afternoon, enabling them ball to another player for a chance shot. Leading with individual scornight's game with the Braves ing honors, Harold Hull, forward-Twelve or fourteen men will make center, broke the tie during the secthe trip. Jack Salmon, a letterman, ond quarter with a total of sixteen

Expecting a stiff battle from the Weary, Dean Walker, Bob Rogers, Kansans, Maryville was prepared Eddie Johnson, Rus Insley, Don with three men in the foes territory. Johnson, Harold Hutcheson, Harold It was only by making the most of Hull, Ike Howell, Dale Hackett, Ver- | the chances that the Emporia team non Goslee, and Bob Alpert. If pro- scored enough to keep a reciprocal

> Missing their first three shots Maryville let the Kansans lead when Conroy made good the first shot. Hull then took a pass from Walker to start the Maryville score. Hutcheson, agile sophomore, took a tip-in and a free throw to put the Bearcats in the lead.

During the next few minutes of Chicago, Ill.—ACP—Are you just play the score was first in favor of half Maryville took the lead bring-Are you in the upper twenty-five ing the score to 22 to 16. Rogers.

In the last period both teams This is not mere advice. It is played hard and fast but the Bear-

With five minutes to play Bobbit it an uncanny one-hander. E. Johnson got a set up and then ended Maryville's scoring with a free throw. Bobbit got another score for the Kansans, and the final score

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was set.						
The box score:						
Maryville (51)			Emporia (32)			
Ġ	FΤ	F		G I	FТ	F
D. Johnson, f 1	. 0	1	Forney, f	8	0	1
Salmon, f 1	. 0	1	Wagner, f	0	1	1
Hull, f-c 7	2	2	Conroy, f	2	1	1
Goslee, f 0	0	0	Bobbit, f	2	0	2
Hutcheson, c., 1	1	0	Snow, c	5	1	2
Howell, c 0	0	0	Meyer, c	0	0	1
Weary, g 2	0	2	Caywood, g	0	1	8
Walker, g 1	0	2	Watson, g	1	2	2
Rogers, g 2	1	0	Dunfield, g	0	Ö	ō
Hackett, g 4	1	1	Stout, g	0	0	1
Insley, g 1	1	1			-	_
E. Johnson, g 2		0				
Alpert, g 0		0				

. 22 7 11 Totals 18 6 14 Free throws missed: Conroy, 1; Bob-bit, 1; Meyer, 1; Watson, 1; Hull, 2; Hackett, 1; Insley, 1; Alpert, 1; Donahue, 1.
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*December 12—Sioux Falls *December 15—Drake University December 20—New Mexico Mines (at St. Joseph) January 1—Emporia Teachers *January 5—William Jewell January 8—Cape Girardeau January 9-Rolla January 19—Cape Girardeau January 23—Warrensburg "January 26—Rockhurst January 29—Springfield January 30—Warrensburg February 2—Rolla February 6-Rockhurst *February 9—Kirksville February 19—Kirksville *February 23—Springfield *Indicates home games.

Bearcat Claws....

Happy New Year.

Once again, with no New Year's resolutions, the new year opens, starts, or what ever it does. As the writer is one who wants you to watch Maryville's athletic department, it should be made plain that the Bearcats started the year off in high style. They defeated the Emporia State Teachers outfit the night of January 1 on the local court.

During the preceding week they won the Rockhurst invitation tourney at Kansas City. In this tournament they defeated two conference foes. Kirksville was downed in a game that ended 35 to 23. This victory followed the Bearcats win over Missouri Valley college. After defeating the MIAA Buildogs in the semi-finals, Maryville met Springfield for an all-MIAA tussle to decide the championship. From all reports Maryville's winning cagemen played their finest game of the season in this championship affair. The intermission found Maryville in the lead, 19-9. The Bears pushed to within six points of the Bearcats, but could not comprehend the winner's defense line. The final score stood 37 for Maryville and 25 for Springfield.

The Kansas City Star made its selection as to an all-star team. Don Johnson, hustling forward for the Maryvillians, was placed on the first team and Harold Hutcheson and Dale Hackett were placed at center and guard on the second

Please notice the box elsewhere on this page describing the plan applying to the use of activity tickets in going to basketball, games the rest of this

Another big thing to notice at the game tonight is the new score board. It is in the same position as the former time clock and is something to be proud of. It was up for the Emporia game, but as there were many students missing, those who did not see it can get a good look at

The Associated Press accorded more honors to Maryville's mighty football eleven in a recent press dispatch. Maryville's second successive year undefeated on the gridiron was rated as one of the outstanding sports accomplishments of the year.

Coach Stalcup is back in the line of duty after being in the hospital for several days. He was not able to make the trip to the Rockhurst tournament but was up for the game with Emporia. Glad to see you back,

Warrensburg lost the Oklahoma City tournament when they were defeated by the Okla-homa A. & M. Aggies. Although they won it last year, the competition was somewhat stiffer this year and the Aggies have a better ball club now than their championship outfit of last year.



Before her marriage December 3: at the First Christian church in Maryville, Mrs. Harland Farrar was Miss Elise Salmon, daughter of Mrs. Valeda Salmon of Maryville. She is a graduate of Maryville high school and attended the College.

Plan Orchestra Tour

NYA Administrator Aubrey Wiliams announced that the 109 young musicians who are to make up Leopold Stokowski's all-American youth orchestra, to be organized this winter for a good-will tour of South and Central America, will be recruited through the State offices of the National Youth Administration.

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Youth Commission Says Syphilis Is Constant Danger

Report Shows Disease Is Highly Fatal: Is Preventable Disaster

(NSFA) For youth, syphilis is preventable physical disaster, ranking with tuberculosis, appendicitis fatalities, rheumatic heart disease, and deaths of mother in childbirth, the American Youth Commission. American Council on Education, reported last week.

Here was a fact stated by an important and infligential group of educators and laymen—which startled the nation into an awareness that even if youth is considered the healthful period in life, there, are serious dangers to be watched for and guarded against.

Not the least of these dangers syphilis. And it was not something which college students—the college press in particular and college stu-dent governments to an extent—had

For the past two years, there has been growing a realization that college students had a stake in this matter of syphilis control. These were the facts:

Ten million persons in United States have or have had. syphilis. . . . a million potential mothers have syphilis ... 100,000 deaths a year ... 60,000 congental syphilities born annually half of every year's 500,000 new cases are under 25 years of

Students and faculty alike looked syphilis. Many saw their responsibilitles as leaders of the future and dents and faculty?"
College Group the Same

Health Service and the American chapters." Social Hygiene Association attemptor type of school was revealed.

ducted, college students all over the in the country." nation were taking up the cry, foundations. Every day more stu-dents ask for facts and honesty.

In an aside during

Free Blood Tests Students have instigated educa Texas, George Washington, Kentucky, V. M. I., Bucknell, Pittsburgh, Syracuse, and a host of other universities and colleges—student campaigns have met with startling successes. Presidents and deans, are in the rear." beginning to see their way clear to in sex education and marriage guid-

Swimming While Show Drifts Down

With light snowflakes lazily drifting from the sky, the Sigma Phi swimming club met at the STC pool last night and took their weekly plunge. This organization is comcollege who enjoy swimming well year sport.

Miss Wincie Carruth is sponsor of this group. The officers of this organization are: Dorothy Matter, president; Lois Goltry, vice-president; and June Etta Cole, treasurer. Members of this club meet every Wednesday night for their schedul-

Theater Part of **Education Now**

Buffalo, N. Y. -(ACP) - Show. manship and the techniques of the theater are coming into their own in the educational system—at least they are here at the University of Buf-

And, of all places, it has invaded he economics classroom, where this iniversity's professors are teaching the ins and outs of the economic system to freshinen by posing as financiers. Jegislators, salesmen or aying in action out the lessons of

With plots that are devised before classifine, the professors enact typical scenes from the world of busines government and finance.

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More Punches Added

Announcement was made by H. R. Dieterich as to the plan to be used by activity card holders for the basketball games this quarter. There are ten home games scheduled but the card holders will be admitted to only eight home games.

There are only six numbers to be punched out for admittance to the games so two additional punches will be added. If a student attended only the two games before the holidays, he will be admitted to six more

games.

If he attended these two games and the Emporia game last Monday, he will be admitted on his activity card to five

games. See "Here's The Record" for a schedule of the games.

National Conference Plans to Change Fraternity Problems

New York City-ACP-Public relations, "hell week," and leadership are the three most important problems of fraternities today.

At least that is the conclusion to be drawn from the fact that these three subjects drew the most discussion by speakers and resolutions committees at the annual meeting here of the National Interfraternity Conference.

Before adopting a resolution which branded "hell week" as a thing of at the above statistical picture, of the past, "outmoded and unsuited to the present day," the delegates heard a report from Fred H. Turner, as trainers of those leaders of the dean of men at the University of future. Others asked, "But is this Illinois, which said that a survey of a problem for us-for college stu- educational institutions throughout the country indicated "the elimination of hell week and the use of the In January, 1939, the U. S. Public paddle in virtually all fraternity

Hell week was condemned because ed to answer this question. On the it has been exploited by national basis of more than 78,000 blood tests, publications to throw a poor light on they reported the rate of syphilis fraternity activities. National pic-infection for college students is approximately the same as for the cor- for their use of posed pictures which responding age group in the general showed unfavorable fraternity ac population. No differences with re- tivities. It was pointed out the gard to geographic location or size these pictures "cause parental objection that offers an obstacle to While this study was being con- the pledging of men by any chapter To develop leaders in the fratern-

"Stamp Out Syphilis—Enemy of ity movement, speakers urged chap-Youth." Young persons had been for ters to hold leadership schools. "At a years the victims of a "mistaken leadership school it is possible to moral censorship" which forbade have present only those alumni who discussion of this leading threat to have something to offer and who are youth health. But during the past genuinely interested in inspiring and two years college editors and stu- instructing the active members in dents have helped materially to blast conformity with the best ideals and fifteen teams will participate in a this censorship from its shaky traditions of the fraternity," one round robin tournament which will

Dean J. O. Moseley of the University of Tennessee declared: "If any the Commission, after the tournational campaigns and have arranged Greek letter fraternity is ever able ment is completed, the team with free, blood tests for students. At to concentrate its efforts on men the highest percentage of wins and who are going to stay in school four years and eliminate all the other Medals will be given to members of rushees would like to get them in, then that organization is going to leave all of its rivals trailing sadly

The conference also adopted place the blood test in its rightful resolution which urged a reduction place in routine examinations, and in the number of honorary fraterniare recognizing the need for courses ties and activity societies. It was pointed out that many of these have "no social value to the student and no educational value to the institution."

Men's, Women's Feet Both Grow

Amherst, Mass, (ACP)—Plenty of evidence, has been brought out to prove that the size of women's feet posed of women students, at the has increased a full size in two generations. Now, comes an indicaenough to indulge in it as an all-tion that men's feet are on the up ànd up.

When the R. O. T. C. supply department at Massachusetts State College came to uniforming the freshmen, they found that all the larger, sizes of shoes were, quickly, exhausted and 50 freshmen couldn't be shod.

This doesn't mean, the supply department points out, that the freshmen have unusually large feet, merely that more of them were the larger sizes than is usual. Shoes are furnished the military department in a range of sizes presumed to outfit an average group of men. But these men aren't average.

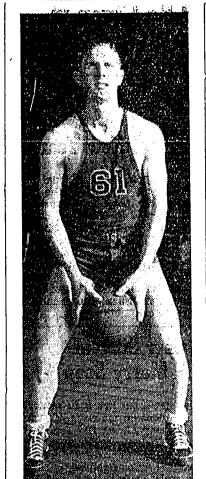
U. S. Drives to Enlist Aviators

Washington, D. C.—(ACP)—In another effort to build the nation's air force to new strength and power the U.S. Army has begun from here a giant drive to enlist hundreds of college youth in the regular

army's air training program.

Army, representatives are making tours of colleges in the sevent corps areas, and applications are being aken for those who wish to enter

egular army air service. urged to aboudon their present college couses to take up training a the army's air schools:



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Forward—Shaw, Kansas Wesleyan.
Center—Bretton, Ottawa.
Guard—Bass, Kirksville.
Guard—Lechner, Springfield.
Second Team
Forward—Shores, Kirksville.
Center—Hutcheson, Maryville.
Center—Hutcheson, Maryville.
Guard—Hackett, Maryville.
Guard—Peterson, Bethany.
Saturday's Results
Ottawa 53, Kansas City, Kansas,
Junior College 19.
Central 21, Missouri Valley 20.
Rockhurst 30, Bethany 25.
Kansas Wesleyan 37, Kirksville
Teachers 35 (third place).
Maryville 37, Springfield 25
(Championship).

Intramural Games Open Officially With 3 Contests

Wednesday's Results

Weedonians 36, Hashslingers 27. Sigma Taus 13, Boosters 12. Pirates 23, Phi Sigs 19.

The regular intramural basketball season was officially opened this week. During the next few weeks be held at the gymnasium. The Maryville (35) Kirksville (23) tramural Commission. According to losses will be declared champions.

the winning team. Several new teams have been added to the list that took part in the pre-holiday tournament, so plenty of competition and some good games are expected.

Since games are in session nearly every evening, the student body is invited to attend some of these There is no admission games.

The teams entered in the tournament are: Aces, Pirates, Boosters, Weedonians, Spark's Tigers, Ramblers, "M" Club, Blue Beards, Old Xenia, Cream Puffs, Holt County Hot Shots, Hashslingers, Sigma Taus, Phi Sigs, and Poop Gang.

College Rules Limit Student Work

New London, Conn, -(ACP) -- If you are a working student at Connecticut State College, you can't earn all the money you want to-in fact, the college's administration has a definite set of working rules for all undergraduates.

The new rules were drawn up to prevent students from over work that might lead to health and scholarship difficulties, All work is done under college supervision.

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Bearcats Win First Place at Rockhurst Meet

Two Conference Foes Are Defeated in Invitation Tourney

Instead of taking their Christmas vacation this year, the Bearcats ventured to the Rockhurst college invitation basketbáll tournament the latter part of last week and came home with the champion-

The first opposing quintet for the Bearcats was the Missouri Valley college team. After having only a one-point lead at the half, the Bearcats, led by Harold Hutcheson, took control of the situation and beat the Valley cagers 31 to 22.

In their second game, which was in the semi-finals, the Maryville hoopmen met their old conference opponents, the Kirksville Bulldogs. The Bulldogs put up their usual fight, but it was not quite strong enough to quell the Bearcats, who took the 35-23 victory.

The picture was now set for an all-MIAA finish. Springfield was pitted against Maryville. After a thrilling third-place battle between Kirksville and Kansas Wesleyan of Salina, Maryville met Springfield in the title game. The Bearcats dominated the entire game, Their excellent playing art and deception was, all in all, too much for the Southwest Missourians.

After a 2-all tie in the first two minutes, Springfield never came within five points of the Bearcats. Maryville was seeded No. 1 in the tournament and proved that no mistake was made there. The final score of the last game was Maryville, 37 and Springfield, 25.

As Coach Wilbur Stalcup was confined to a hospital bed, Mr. H. R. Dieterich and Max Stalcup, the Coach's brother from Atchison, took charge of the thirteen collegians, including the eleven lettermen and two squad members. The players who made the trip were Dale Hackett, Vernon Goslee. Ike Howell, Don Johnson, Harold Hull, Jack Salmon, Harold Hutcheson, Neal Weary, Bob Rogers, Dean Walker, Russell Insley, Eddie Johnson, and Bob Alpert.

The box scores: Maryville (31) | Missouri Valley (22) | E. Johnson, f 0 0 0 | ... | GFT F D. Johnson, f 2 1 3 | Boyd, F...... 0 2 2 | Walker, f..... 0 1 2 | McGhee, f..... 4 1 1 | Hull, f...... 3 2 2 | Harris, f..... 0 0 0 | Alpert, f..... 0 0 0 | Redford, f.... 0 0 3 | Hutchison 6 3 4 8 | Histoney Hutchison, c. 3 4 3 Hightower, f. 0 0 0 Goslee, g. 0 0 0 Larberg, c. 0 1 4 Hackett, g. 2 1 1 Woods, c. 1 0 1 Salmon, g. 0 0 0 Bosley, g. 0 1 2 R. Rogers, g. 0 0 0 Davidson, g. 2 1 1 Weary, g..... 0 0 0 Kumpy, g..... 1 1 4 Insley, g..... 0 0 4 Brown, g..... 0 0 0 Stanbauer, g. 0 0 0

otals 11917 Totals 8 6 18
Officials—Glennon and Warden.

Half score-11-10, Missouri Valley. Hutcheson, c... 1 1 3 Schwarzer, c. 2 4 4 Hutcheson, c.. 1 0 2 Woods, g..... 0 0 1 Hackett, g.... 1 3 1 Bass, g..... 1 1 2 Walker, g.... 2 0 2 Sooter, g.... 0 1 0 Insley, g... 1 0 2 Brockman, g. 0 2 0 E. Johnson, g 0 1 0

Salmon, g.... 0 0 1 otals 13913 Totals 7914 Officials—O'Keefe and Skradski. Half core, 19-10, Maryville.

Burrows, c.... 0 3 2 Graves, c..... 2 1 0

Bucklew, g.... 0 0 0 Hedgepeth, g 0 0 0 otals 15.7.12 Totals 8 9 12 Officials—Warden and Glennon. Half score—19.9, Maryville.

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Students Do Own Broadcasting

Providence, R. I.-(ACP)-New England college students will be the first in the country to have their own intercollegiate radio broadcasting system, if plans backed by the Brown Network at Brown University

develop according to schedule, The project calls for linking Brown, Dartmouth, M. I. T., and Wesleyan together over a leased wire system so that each college can broadcast to the other. It will not only provide entertainment for listeners and experience for radiominded students handling the technical details, but it will promot "friendly contacts" between the institutions taking part, the sponsor

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President Asks **Student Opinion**

Evanston, Ill.,—(ACP)—Franklyn Bliss Snyder, Northwestern University's new president, believes that students should contribute their ideas to his institution's educational

and administrative policies and pro-And to prove his belief in this idea, Pres. Snyder recently addressed an open letter to the student body asking all undergraduates to give him advise "as to how the university can best contribute to the happiness and welfare of its students, alumni and faculties, and of the society which they represent."

to discuss these affairs. All \$16.95 dresses now \$12.98 Tivoli Fashion Shop.—Adv.

Pres. Snyder has asked students

alumni and faculty members to meet

with him and the hoard of trustees



Second Dancette Will Be Given in **Old West Library This Afternoon**

Last Quarter's Event Will Be Repeated by Social Committee

The second in a series of dancettes, sponsored by the Student Social Committee, will be given this the Old West Library of the Administration Building. All students and faculty members are invited. Invited chaperons for the dance

are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hake and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Simons. Music for dancing will be furnished by the College dance orchestra under the direction of Mr. John W.

The Student Social Committee, which made arrangements for this and also for the first dancette, which was given last November 3, is composed of Paul Tracy, chairman; Will Marry Soon Maxine Nash, Alice Woodside, J. Glaze Baker, Crystal Cooper, Wes McClaren, and Mildred Hackett.

Virginia Myers Is Married

Miss Virginia Myers, a graduate of the College in the class of 1932 and a former member of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority, was married to Godsey Photograph Studio in Mary-William Callison of Smithville, December 22, at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. D. A. Gelvin, in St. Joseph. The presiding minister was Dr. George Mauze, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of St.

The attendants at the wedding were Miss Mary Elizabeth Myers, College in the summer of 1930, was sister of the bride, and David Miller

Mrs. Callison has taught in the commerce department of Smith-Reverend Sherman B. Moore, in ville high school for the past seven years. She attended Gregg Institute in Chicago and New York Univer-

Mr. and Mrs. Callison are at hom on a farm near Smithville.

Graduate Marries Stanberry Girl

The marriage of Sybil Mitchell, of Stanberry, to Kenneth Hantze, of Maryville, took place the afternoon of December 23, at the First Chris-

College in the spring of 1939 with a ated. major in Social Science and a minor

were Mrs. Harry Saunders, sister of ated from the Hopkins High School. Mrs. Hantze, and Russell Dowell of Maryville. The couple spent the Senior Class to Have Christmas vacation in Kansas City and with Mr. Hantze's parents in Party This Quarter Maryville,

Mr. and Mrs. Hantze will be at teaches physical education in the high school.

Will Have Party

The Varsity Villagers will have a 12. The hour and details for the party will be announced later.

Tivoli Fashion Shop.—Adv.

"Leap Year" Will Be Theme at Dance of New Year

Alpha Sigma Alpha, national sonight, from 9 to 12 o'clock, at the Maryville Country Club. Chaperones will be Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur -Stalcup and Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Milner. It is to be a nickelodean

Irene Bohnenblust, Pattonsburg, is general chairman. The theme will

Announcement has been made of Activity tickets must be presented the approaching marriage of Dixon at the door for admittance and those Loree Campbell of St. Joseph to wishing to bring guests outside the Edward Godsey of Maryville. Miss College must obtain guest cards Campbell is the daughter of Mr. from the office of the director of and Mrs. Lawson Campbell of Grant personnel for women. The guest City, Mr. Godsey is the son of Mrs. cards will be fifteen cents and the Effie Townsend Godsey of St. number of guests will be limited. Joseph. The wedding will take place

Miss Campbell, a former student in the College, is a sister of Mrs. Estelle Campbell Fisher, former student and dietian at Residence Hall, and Betty Campbell who is a freshman at the college this year,

Mr. Godsey who is a former student at the College operates the

Former Students Are Married

Miss Hazel Carr, a graduate of the married to Leland Nichols of Quitman, at noon on Christmas day at the home of the officiating minister,

Mrs. Nichols taught at the Eugene Field school in Maryville and in Brush, Colorado. Mr. Nichols was a student in the College and Chillicothe Business College.

The couple will reside on a farm eight miles west of Maryville.

Arlene Finn Is Married

Miss Arlene Finn of Parnell and Harold Collins of Hopkins were martian Church with Rev. Sherman B. ried the afternoon of December 23 Moore, pastor of the church, offici- in Lees Summit. Rev. Edward T. Donahue, pastor of the First Bap-Mr. Hantze, graduated from the tist Church of Lees Summit, offici-

Mrs. Collins attended the College and has been teaching in the Worth The attendants at the wedding County schools. Mr. Collins gradu-

The Class of 1940 will have an allhome in Crocker where Mr. Hantze class party this quarter, it was decided at a meeting held Wednesday. William Metz, class president, appointed a committee to make ar-

The committee follows: Francis Stubbs, chairman, Margarita Collazo-Felix, Maxine Nash, Robert Mystery Party on Friday, January Mitchell, Lowell Jones, and Irene to Hedy Lamarr. Bohnenblust.

20% reduction on lingerie at Tiv-"All" \$22.75 dresses now \$16.98 at oli Fashion Shop. Also big reductions on silk house coats.—Adv.

WHEN WINTER COMES TO RESIDENCE HALL—Snow has covered not only the meadows, the roofs, and the old fir-trees standing guard at Residence Hall, but also the paths, and of an evening the young swains mounting the slippery steps laading up to the entrance find it pretty hard to preserve their equilibrium

Helen Reed

Margaret Kyle.

I resolve to think more highly

the German regime in the future.

me out with the same girl more

Resolved that I shall take a course

I resolve to continue making it

I hereby resolve to have the Sen-

School auditoriums throughout

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Frank Baker

from one class to another without

waking up.

very shallow.

Johnny Green

Dale Hackett

New Year's Resolutions—

Resolved that Iris will get a step- year. ladder so I won't break my neck

when we—well, you know.

Resolved that I will attempt to get a little more "oomph" in my style this year.

Lela Maul Resolved: I will learn the Lord's eph.

J. L. Zwingle and some others.

I resolve to forget about my boyfriend in Tarkio. He hasn't called than once. on me for about a year. I think I like somebody else now anyway. Frances (Madonna) Smith.

I am resolved to move next door basketball season is over-without Jackie Salmon

I resolve to take advantage of my opportunities this year. This is leap-

Mary Ann Bovard

Resolved: To add to my collection. Maxine Nash. I do solemnly resolve to have at campus that no one else can find. least one date during this "lean"

Two Former Students | Supper Given in

Farrar, both former students of the Haflan Farrar, Friday, December 29, Gallege, were married December 31 before her marriers Sunday De College, were married December 31 I resolve to petition the state to B. Moore.

take a few of the curves out of the Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. W. kitchen. road between Maryville and St. Jos Betty Hatfield

in astronomy next spring after the and Charles Beven, Muscotah, Kansas, were the attendents at the wed-

> After attending the College, the bride, went to a beauty school in Kansas City. Mr. Farrar, who graduated from the College in 1938, is | agent for the Bankers Life Insurance Company.

North Mulberry street in Maryville.

Announce Marriage

Collins of Maryville and Wain Wing-Miss Katherine Lewis, a graduate the United States are usually not er of Skidmore, a former student of

school auditoriums for plays, con- graduated from Skidmore High

Henry Turner was the honor guest

Guests at the party were Mary

shower was given in honor of Mrs. mind on two topics that may give a A buffet supper and kitchen | before her marriage Sunday Decemat the First Christian Church of ber 31. Misses Dorothy and Mary Maryville, by the Reverend Sherman Henderson were hostesses at the usual student optimism. Almost Commission, which indicate that party which was given at the dream

honor guest, Mary Jo Dreyer of Cin-Dupree; S. D.; Mrs. Tom Merrick, Jack Salmon, a brother of the Mrs. Robert Geist, Mrs. Richard Townsend and Catherine Thorp.

College Students Participate in Church Programs

Faculty and Students Take Active Part in Various Services

Several of the churches in Maryville had Christmas or New Year's thing you do not care for should programs in which a number of col- you get very angry or would you just lege students participated.

On December 17 an oratorio was presented at the Methodist church. The oratorio was directed by Mr. H. N. Schuster, of the College conserva-

Those College students who took Pfander, Ruth Ward, Esther Ward, partner or just let it go? Frances Mae Davis, Phyllis Little, Mary Mutz, and Ferris Baker, in! the chorus. Arlene Congdon, Ruth ner," and that's enough; but do not Millikan, Virginia Mutz, Ellen Mc-Creight, Bob Clark, Leslie Somerville Jr., and Kenneth Tebow all had Martha May Holmes, secretary to

Sunday morning, December 17, the choir of the Presbyterian church night service at the Baptist church sang three special Christmas an- on New Year's Eve. Those College thems. College students who were in students who took part were: Lester the choir were: Richard Moyer, Pryor, James Elmore, Ben Evans, Florence Abarr, Elizabeth Lippman, Robert Long, in the choir, and Martha Sue Zimmerman, Jean Sny- James Montgomery, who played the der, Boyd Watson, Jack Obermiller, organ.

This Way

1. When you go to church with a young woman should you put money in her hand for collection or should you let her put in her own.

You should let her put her own in

2. When you are in a crowd and r practical joker is within the group and he happens to hit upon somelaugh it off?

The best thing to do is to just laugh it off because that will put you in a better standing with the whole group.

3 When you are playing bridge part in the oratorio were: Virginia with a group and you make a stupid Garner, Margaret Hackman, Ruth play should you apologize to your

> You just need to say, "Sorry partlet it pass unnoticed.

and Arthur Smith.

The Christmas program at the the business manager of the Col- Christian church was presented by lege, did solo work in the oratorio. a group of high school students, and Dr. Harry G. Dildine also had a solo the organ music was furnished by William Hutchinson. There was a program and watch

College Students Optimistic About Old Age, Recent Survey Discloses

Majority of Students Believe They Will Not Need Old Age Pensions

By JOE BELDEN, Editor Student Opinion Surveys of America

Austin, Texas, January 5—College youth of this new year is faced with some of the most staggering problems of modern civilization, further complicated by this nation's attempts to make itself a better place No

tention with the war in Europe, dents in strict proportion to U. S. which is bound to have its effect on Office of Education figures reprebusiness and on wages. On the first senting the entire national enrollof February monthly Treasury ment, "How much do you believe checks will begin coming to many of you will be able to earn from your the aged of the country, and by the first job after you leave college?" end of 1940 nearly one million per- Not counting those who had no defgigantic Social Security program as- or girls who did not plan to work sumes full stride.

The Student Opinion Surveys, national polling organization of the campus press, has tapped the college youth expects.

two-thirds of the collegians don't even in cities, where wages are highwant the government to pay them er, the typical youth's weekly pay Guests at the shower were the pensions when they reach 65, and envelope contains about \$15. Colnearly 7 out of every 10 believe they lege graduates often get much more,

The poll on pensions does not the undergraduates now expect. mean that students are opposed to (Results of other Surveys that Social Security for the needy. And will be printed soon include the first

the men are of the opinion that they should not be beneficiaries, principally because they believe they will be able to take care of themselves. Most girls voted on the opposite side. Asked, "When you reach the age of 65, do you think the government should pay you a pension?' students gave these answers:

The Surveys' interviewers also Unemployment continues to be a asked this question of a scientifimajor U. S. problem, vying for at- cally-selected cross section of stusons will be receiving benefits as the inite idea as to their future incomes

these were the results: \$. 75 or less. 75 to 100. 125 to 150.

150 or more nificance when projected against Surveys' interviewers found the the findings of the American Youth

classmates. The Surveys found that and the Dies Committee).

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Former Student Marries Oklahoman

of the College in 1931, was married well planned. A common mistake the College, took place the morning to Roy W. Poe of Bristow, Okla., De- is to make the auditorium far too of December 30 at the rectory of cember 23, at the home of the bride's large, the proscenium or stage open- St. Patrick's church. Rev. R. E. sister, Mrs. George Kyme in Bris- ing too wide, and the stage itself Graham was the officiating ministow. During the Christmas holidays Mr. and Mrs. Poe visited in the community demand for the use of College high school and Mr. Winger home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Lewis of Maryville, and certs, forums, and motion pictures, School. The couple will be at home in the home of Mr. Poe's parents, and because a school, auditorium in Skidmore where Mr. Winger oper-Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Poe, of Okla- costs anywhere from \$50,000 to \$150,- ates a trucking line. homa City.

Mrs. Poe obtained her Master's de-litorium is not only extravagant but gree from Columbia University, New defeats the purpose for which it York Oity and Mr. Poe graduated was built. These are the conclufrom Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College at Stillwater, Education as the result of a study Oklahoma, and will receive his of school auditoriums in 21 States. master's degree from that College Mr. and Mrs. Poe are at home at | College Students Try

the LaVinta apartments at Bristow.

Miss Helwig Moves formerly lived at 511 West Third.

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Have Church Wedding Honor of Bride

Miss Elise Salmon and Harland

J. Montgomery sang "Because," accompanied by Miss Neva Sage who also played for the processional and cinnati, Ohio; Mrs. Paul Sloan of will be able to earn \$100 a month or but the cases are not many, and the recessional. During the ceremony Holton, Kans.; Mrs. Vernon Green more as soon as they leave college. average is much lower than what Resolved that no one shall catch Miss Sage played "Believe Me If All of Sikeston; Miss Virginia Vance of Those Endearing Young Charmes."

> bride and a student in the College, Fields, Mary Ann Bovard, Lillian college women differ with their male national student poll on the ROTC gave his sister in marriage. Miss Mary Jo Dreyer, Cincinnatti,

The couple is at home at 1032

Collins, Winger

The marriage of Miss Katherine

Mrs. Winger is a graduate of the

Student Entertains With Birthday Party

at a birthday party given at the home of Gertrude Parker a student in the College, Friday, December 29.

Margot Phares, Mildred Mahan, (NSFA)—Impressed by stories of Betty Lindley, Virginia Bosch, Emma the German war rations, three stu- Isabel Brown, Helen Parker and Miss Katherine Helwig, mathe-dents at Georgia Tech set out to Eugene McLean, Don Lindley, Dick matics instructor at the College, and ascertain whether Americans could Stephenson, Denton McGinnis, J. her sister have moved to 535 1/2 West live under the same standards. R. Gregory, Rex Ashwell, Henry Third street in Maryville. They Their food consisted of a daily al- Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Len S. lowance of 8 ounces of skim milk, Parker.

15 ounces of beer, and about 43 Mr. Turner graduated from the College here last spring and is now Two of the students lost 9 pounds doing graduate work at the Uniin 12 days, and 3 only lost 5 pounds. versity of Missouri.